



PECAN REPORT

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INSTANT MARKET NEWS --- Prices paid to growers and other applicable pecan information is available by calling the following recorder in Forest Park, GA (404) 366-0360

PECAN IMPORTS FROM MEXICO THROUGH ARIZONA-NEW MEXICO-TEXAS CROSSING POINTS**

Shown in 1,000 lb. units

	Weekly Total 2019 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop Final 2018	
	Nov 19	Nov 20	Nov 21	Nov 22	Nov 23	Nov 24	Nov 25	2019		2018
Pecan-In-shell	223	658	0	527	177	0	101	6,287	18,391	78,048
Pecan-Shelled	909	507	543	588	149	0	610	41,439	34,245	107,513

* Revised ** Country of Origin not specified. *** Crop season as defined by USDA runs from August 1 to July 31

Source Department of Homeland Security Customs Border Protection

PRICES PAID TO GROWERS

GEORGIA (via: Forest Park-Atlanta GA)

The weather for this upcoming week shows mild temperatures with evening lows in the low 40s and 50s cooling to the low 30s by early next week. Daytime highs running in the high 60s to 70s. The north areas of the state show about ten degrees cooler and rain may be expected on Wednesday November 27 and Sunday, December 1 throughout the state.

The retail and holiday gift markets are about steady with a fairly good demand, while the domestic commercial buyers have started to come back into the picture. Prices remain about steady or a little stronger this week as most of Georgia is beginning to wind down.

Currently growers are picking up the remaining pecans that they have in the orchards and most are going over for a final time and will be getting the orchards ready for the winter months coming up.

A few Blends made it to the market. Small lots of Desirable Blends with 50-54% meat yield sold in a range of about \$3.10-3.29 per point. Large lots of Stuart Blends (low 50s nut count) 47-49% meat yield sold in a range of about \$4.06-4.48 per point and large lots of Desirable Blends 50-52% meat yield sold in a range of about \$4.36-4.60 per point.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon November 19, 2019 through late afternoon November 26, 2019) at buyers delivery point or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users,

cents per pound in-shell of generally good quality in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

Cape Fear (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 125

Desirables (deliveries light) export quality 50-52% meat yield 226-235, yard tree lots 145-170 mostly 150

Elliott (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 150

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries light) machine harvested 46% meat yield 115, yard tree lots 75-85

Moneymakers (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 70-80

Stuart (deliveries light) export quality 47-49% meat yield 190-215 occasional higher, yard tree lots 115-125

Sumner (deliveries very light) export quality 51% meat yield or better 220-225 51-52% meat yield 195-200

Lots over 20,000 pounds including truckloads

Cape Fear (deliveries very light) export quality 52-54% meat yield 220-225

Desirables (deliveries light) export quality (40s nut count) 50-52% meat yield 230-243

Stuart (deliveries light) export quality 47-49% meat yield 190-218

Sumner (deliveries light) (46-47 nut count) 51-52% meat yield 220-225 51-53% meat yield 195-200

THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2019.

LOUISIANA (via: Forest Park-Atlanta GA)

Weather for this week has lows in the 40s-50s and daytime highs in the 60s-70s with a chance of rain on Friday, November 22, 2019.

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Native/Seedlings (deliveries very light) machine harvested 75-80, yard tree lots 60-80 mostly 60 occasional lower

Elliott (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 100

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OKLAHOMA (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Pecan harvest remains slow, but is expected to increase during the weeks leading up to the Christmas season. Deliveries by growers to buying points are light. Demand was fairly good for good quality pecans. Gift box and retail trade continue to look out of state for supplies. Prices are slightly lower this week.

The weather forecast this week calls for high temperatures from the low 40s to the mid-70s and low temperatures from the upper 20s to the upper 50s. Temperatures are expected to decrease as the week progresses. There is a chance of precipitation every day from Tuesday, November 26 through Saturday, November 30, peaking at an 80 to 100 percent chance on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29.

Prices paid to growers (from noon Tuesday, November 19, 2019 through noon Tuesday, November 26, 2019) at buyers delivery point or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound, in-shell of generally good quality in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

Pawnee (deliveries very light) 54-58% meat yield 180-230 occasional higher and lower

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 40-42% meat yield 78-90 occasional higher and lower

THE NEXT OKLAHOMA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2019.

TEXAS (via: Phoenix, Arizona)
(Central, South, Eastern Areas)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were very light. Demand was good for good quality pecans. Pawnee and Cheyenne are currently being harvested, as well as Natives. Harvesting is expected to increase during the weeks leading up to Christmas. Prices are lower on Improved varieties and higher on Natives this week.

The weather forecast for the coming week calls for low temperatures from the low 30s to the low 70s, with high temperatures in the upper 40s to the low 80s. There is up to an 80 percent chance of precipitation from Thursday, November 28 through Saturday, November 30.

The retail gift pack market is fairly active. Due to very light volumes, some buyers are making purchases from other production areas or are waiting for additional availability of pecans.

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Cheyenne (deliveries very light) 50-53% meat yield 175-225 occasional higher and lower

Pawnee (deliveries very light) 50-53% meat yield 175-225 occasional higher and lower

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries light) machine harvested 100-125, yard tree lots 85-95

THE NEXT TEXAS REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2019.

Terminal Market Prices - November 26, 2019**Atlanta**

---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks BR Polished lge 195.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages Repacked Enroute Polished 108.50
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks GA Improved Pawnee 140.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 134.00 lge 106.50-107.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages Repacked Enroute English Hartley lge 54.00

Baltimore

---ALMONDS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA U.S. One lge 140.00
 ---FILBERTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks OR U.S. One lge 125.00-130.00
 ---PECANS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks GA Improved Desirables exlge 210.00
 ---WALNUTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA English jbo 120.00

Boston

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA U.S. One Peerless lge 112.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages CA U.S. One Peerless lge 75.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 50 lb sacks BR Natural lge 160.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 25 lb sacks IT 38-40s 125.00 48-50s 115.00 60-65s 100.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 50 lb sacks OR U.S. One jbo 140.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages OR U.S. One jbo 90.00 occas higher
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 50 lb sacks GA Natural Polished exlge 200.00
 ---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 25 lb cartons CA White 140.00 cartons 24 12-oz packages CA White 112.00-140.00 1 1/2 pound Filmbags Out of Shell 18.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 115.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 60.00

Chicago

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA Peerless lge 125.00-135.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 25 lb sacks IT 38-40s 115.00 48-50s 125.00-128.00 MI 48-50s 125.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA 125.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks GA Improved Stuarts 165.00 occas higher
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 90.00-100.00 occas higher

Columbia

---BRAZIL NUTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks BR Polished lge 170.00-180.00 23.00 sacks 20 2-lb mesh bags NM Valencia Raw 54.00-58.00 bushel crates FL Virginia Green 44.00-45.00 bushel mesh sacks FL Virginia Green 48.00
 ---PECANS: MARKET GA DESIRABLES SLIGHTLY LOWER; OTHERS STEADY. 50 lb sacks GA Improved Desirables exlge 170.00-180.00 Stuarts lge 160.00 SC Improved Cape Fear exlge 160.00 Stuarts lge 160.00
 ---WALNUTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 128.00-140.00 mostly 128.00-130.00

Dallas – November 25, 2019

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 20 lb cartons CA Peerless 112.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb cartons TX 287.50
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb cartons TX Natural 240.00

Los Angeles – November 25, 2019

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA Nonpareil lge 230.00 occas higher U.S. One Peerless 102.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA Peerless 62.00 occas higher/lower
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb cartons BR Natural 178.00-178.13 50 lb cartons BR Polished lge 147.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages BR Polished lge 80.00
 ---CASHEWS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. VN 179.50 (25 lb cartons) roasted and salted 174.00 (25 lb cartons) 142.00 (25 lb cartons) roasted 30.00 (5 lb cartons) roasted 37.50 (5 lb cartons) roasted and salted 30.00 (5 lb cartons)
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS ITALY VERY LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 55 lb containers SK BOAT med-lge 165.00 occas higher/lower 25 lb sacks CA Central San Joaquin Valley California jbo 30.00-40.00 occas higher/lower IT 48-50s 150.00 occas higher/lower
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb cartons TU 140.00 (shelled) 50 lb sacks TU 110.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages TU 52.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks TX Natural 195.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages TX Natural Polished 110.00
 ---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb cartons CA White 144.00 (roasted and salted) 155.00 (roasted)
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 85.00 25 lb cartons CA English Hartley jbo 118.00 (halves/pieces) cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 46.00

ORGANIC

---ALMONDS: 20 lb cartons SP offerings insufficient to quote
 ---CASHEWS: IQ 35.00 (5 lb cartons) pieces offerings insufficient to quote

New York

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks per lb CA Peerless 2.18 cartons 32 1-lb packages CA Peerless 88.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks per lb BR Polished lge 3.74 cartons 32 1-lb packages BR Polished lge 156.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb sacks GR 38-40s 100.00 IT 38-40s 120.00 48-50s 115.00 10 lb sacks IT 48-50s 50.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks per lb OR jbo 2.10 cartons 32 1-lb packages OR lge 86.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks per lb GA Natural exlge 2.92 cartons 32 1-lb packages GA Natural 156.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks per lb CA English Hartley jbo 2.18 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 57.00

Terminal Market Prices - Continued**Philadelphia**

---ALMONDS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA U.S. One Peerless lge 130.00

---CHESTNUTS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 25 lb sacks GR 48-50s 110.00-115.00 IT 38-40s 122.00-131.25 48-50s 112.00-125.00

---FILBERTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks OR U.S. One lge 155.00

---PISTACHIOS: MARKET STEADY. cartons 24 12-oz packages CA White 95.00

---WALNUTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA English jbo 105.00

San Francisco – November 25, 2019

---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 25 lb sacks CA exlge 90.00-95.00 occasional lower IT 48-50s 156.00-158.00 occasional higher

---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb sacks CA 75.00 occasional lower

---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English jbo 91.00-93.00 occasional lower

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5:18pm

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